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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MILI PFOR EG LY TS  
SUBJECT: REPORT EGYPTIAN OCCUPATION OF LIBYAN TOWN

REF: (A) IR 6 8990103 (CAIRO 5252) (B) TUNIS 2116

1. AS REPORTED REF MSG, DURING CONVERSATION MARCH 29 WITH DATT, SENIOR GOE OFFICIAL MADE NO REF TO ANY BORDER INCURSION BY EGYPTIAN FORCES. HOWEVER, SENDING OF THIRD BRIGADE TO BORDER AREA INDICATES NEW SERIOUSNESS WITH WHICH GOE TREATING ITS LIBYAN PROBLEM. AS SUGGESTED BY DATT, MOVEMENT OF AN ARMORED BRIGADE MAY PRESAGE "LIMITED AGGRESSIVE ACTION."

2. EMBASSY WILL SEEK EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY TO CLARIFY REPORT CONTAINED REF B.  
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## Message Attributes

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